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## METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND USING TRANSGENIC DICAMBA-DEGRADING ORGANISMS

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BASIC FEE:					\$395.00	OR		\$790.00	
TOTAL CLAIMS:	49	-	20	29	X \$11 =	\$319.00	OR	X \$22 =	
INDEP. CLAIMS:	13	-	3	10	X \$41 =	\$410.00	OR	X \$82 =	
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Applicants request an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of three (3) months to respond to the Office Action mailed on May 28, 2004, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from August 28, 2004, to November 28, 2004.

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